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11. On May 10, Poloff delivered reftel demarche to Nasser Mohammed Hassan, the Assistant Director for Bilateral Affairs in charge of American and Europe at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Poloff explained that the World Health Assembly would convene in Geneva later this month, and asked for Djibouti's support on the Smallpox Resolution. Hassan said he wasn't aware if Djibouti would have a delegation present at the World Health Assembly. He said that he will pass on the information to senior officials at the Foreign Ministry. SCHULMAN